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Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page, in duplicate)
- (3) Response To Final Office Action (18 pages)

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated March 10, 2006, and is being filed within the shortened statutory response period expiring on June 10, 2006, and within the two-month after-final response period specified in MPEP § 706.07(f) expiring on May 10, 2006. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No amendments are made in this paper. A Listing of Claims is provided for the convenience of the Examiner, beginning on page 2.

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Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

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